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PRICE TWO CENTS.

ELKS' OUTING IS BROUGHT TO A FITTING CLOSE

Fine Program of Sport at Rand's Grove With Vaudeville and Band Concert Form a Pleasing Program for Members and Invited Guests

The 25th anniversary and outing of Portsmouth Lodge, No. 97, B. P. O. E., is a thing of the past and the members and their guests from Boston, Springfield, Worcester, Taunton, Newburyport, Duxbury, Manchester, Franklin, Berlin, and other places will have pleasant recollections of the same for many days to come. The sports at Rand's Grove were run off without a hitch and the vaudeville program in the evening was all that could be desired. Taken all in all, it was a great day for "Old 97," and Exalted Ruler James W. Barrett and his efficient committee are deserving of much credit for the able manner in which the affair was conducted.

At Rand's Grove.

Three cars were needed to carry the party to Rand's Grove at Rye Beach, the band going with the first car. Fully as many attending the outing made the trip to the grove from the city by automobile, nearly 100 machines decorated with flags and banners, making a continuous line. The start was made from the square at 12:15 o'clock.

On the arrival at Cable Road the parade was re-formed and the line marched to the grove. A luncheon was served under the direction of Frank Leahy, the menu including baked beans, sandwiches, doughnuts, coffee, cheese and crackers. From 1 o'clock until 3 a fine program was rendered by the

At 3 o'clock the Rhode Island clam-bake was served, this menu including fish chowder, lobsters, sweet potatoes, corn, clams, eggs, salads, and coffee. Immediately after the serving of the

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Exalted Ruler James W. Barrett.

TWO BRITISH STEAMERS ARE DESTROYED

German Submarines Are Keeping Up Work of Destruction.

(Special to The Herald) London, Sept. 19.—The British steamers *Dawn* and *Lord Tredegar*, both large and comparatively new ships, have been sunk by German submarines. It was announced today. The *Dawn* was built in 1913 and displaced 3,882 tons. The latter vessel was built a year later. It displaced 3,866 tons. Both ships were engaged in the trans-Atlantic trade. The *Dawn* sailed from Portland, Me., on July 19 for Avonmouth. The *Lord Tredegar* left New York on Aug. 24 for Far Eastern ports.

HEAVY RAIN IS HINDERING OPERATIONS

British However Succeed in Penetrating German Trenches.

(Special to The Herald) London, Sept. 19.—Heavy rain is hindering operations by the British troops in France, but nevertheless the English succeeded in penetrating German trenches at three points. Five more of the British aeroplanes engaged in the recent operations have failed to return, the war office stated today.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Tuesday fair; Wednesday fair and warmer; gentle westerly winds.

Sun Rises..... 5:28 Sun Sets..... 5:17 Length of Day..... 12:19 High Tide..... 4:41 am, 4:59 pm Moon Rises..... 10:41 pm Light Automobile Lamp at..... 6:17 pm

1916

Fall and Winter Suitings and Woolen Dress Goods

We call special attention to the following line of Suitings and Dress Goods as worthy of special attention, for their style value for Fall and Winter, 1916.

BROADCLOTHS, and this will be a broadcloth season, 54 in. wide, black, dark brown, dark navy, dark green..... \$1.87½ yd.

EXTRA FINE QUALITY BROADCLOTH, in the fashionable burgundy color, 54 in. wide..... \$2.25 yd.

CHECKED VELOURS, a treat for lovers of this soft, beautiful pile fabric, six styles, 54 in. wide..... \$2.00, \$2.25 yd.

PLAIDS AND STRIPES occupy high place in the dress goods section. Plaids \$1.00 and \$1.50 yd. Stripes..... \$1.50 and \$1.59 yd.

GABARDINES in black, navy, dark brown, dark green, 48 in. and 54 in. wide..... \$1.50 and \$1.69 yd.

SAN TOYS and **NOVELTY WEAVES** in great variety.

SERGES, all colors and widths..... 50c to \$1.50 yd.

CORDUROYS are as popular as ever, 28 in. and 30 in. wide, black, navy, cope, rose, green, wisteria..... \$1.00 yd.

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BULGARIANS ARE DRIVEN OUT OF GREECE

Bulgars Planning to Evacuate Monastir Owing to the Strong Force Pursuing the Beaten Troops

(Special to The Herald) Salonika, Sept. 19.—Servian, Russian and French troops have driven the entire right wing of the Bulgarian army out of Greece across the Servian border and are pressing on toward Monastir according to official advices received here today. Negotiations are being held to end the Bulgarian army's retreat. The Bulgarians are said to be evacuating that city. Part of the Bulgarians having already been withdrawn from Usak. The capture of Florina by the entente allies has seriously menaced the Bulgarian front and French officers today predicted that the entire enemy front would be drawn back several miles to prevent its being flanked on the west.

NEW OFFENSIVE IS OPENED BY THE GERMANS

Against the Allies in the Champagne District Is Officially Announced.

(Special to The Herald) Paris, Sept. 19.—German troops have opened a new offensive in Champagne, according to the official communication issued by the French war office today. They have made numerous attacks on the Russian position at Summe but till have been repelled. Operations on the Somme front have been hindered by bad weather. Germans and Bulgarians are engaged in battle in the region of Mount Belles on the Salonika front, the war office announced today. It also stated that western Macedonia, Servian troops had repelled attacks by German troops at Velrenik.

THREE HELD FOR DEATH OF WOMAN

Mrs. Belle Justin Found Dead in Room at South End, Boston, Under Suspicious Circumstances.

(Special to The Herald) Boston, Sept. 19.—Belle Justin, a woman of 43 years, supposed to be married, was found dead on a couch in a basement room at 2 Sharon street, South End, today. There was a deep cut over her left eye. Mrs. Annie Wilkinson who lives in the same house, told the police that last night she heard loud talking. The woman's body when found was fully clothed except that the shoes were off. The police held two men and a woman who said they were in the basement with the dead, pending the report of the medical examiner.

DROPPED BOMBS ON STATION

Railroad Building at Mestre, Near Venice, Hit Several Times by Austrians.

(Special to The Herald) Vienna, Sept. 19.—The Admiralty announced today that on Sunday night a squadron of naval planes successfully dropped eight heavy bombs on the railroad station at Mestre near Venice and hit the station building several times. The aeroplanes were shot down by Italian anti-aircraft guns but returned unharmed.

CURB BROKER WILLING TO BET ON WILSON

(Special to The Herald) New York, Sept. 19.—L. J. Stokes, a curb broker, said today that a certain large New York interest is ready to bet \$100,000 that Woodrow Wilson will be elected President, provided the

TWO AMERICANS REPORTED SLAIN IN VILLA ATTACK

A Mexican Passenger From Chihuahua City Asserts He Saw Bodies After the Battle, But Could Not Identify Them

(Special to The Herald) El Paso, Sept. 19.—Unusual military activity in Juarez today created the belief here that Carranza officials have been warned to beware of Villa's troops reported advancing northward. All efforts to establish the truth of reports that two Americans were slain in Chihuahua City when Villa attacked that city have been unavailing. A Mexican passenger from Chihuahua asserted last night that he had seen bodies of two Americans after the battle but could not identify them. State Department agents are trying to learn whether the report is correct. Gen. Gonzales, commander of the Carranza garrison at Chihuahua told Gen. Treviño had not notified him that any foreigners were killed.

odds lengthen a little. Mr. Stokes said this was not a Democratic bet and that he was confident that if the Hughes people would offer two and one-half to one on their favorite, the wager would be placed. Mr. Stokes himself offered \$5000 on Wilson at odds of one to 21-2, but the best the Hughes people would give was 2 to 1. Edward McQuade, who handles most of the big commissions on the Curb says he has several thousand dollars to bet on Hughes at the quoted odds.

The Herald prints the news when it is news and not 48 hours to a week old.

Women's and Misses' Suits and Coats
In the newest fabrics and the latest New York styles.

Dress Skirts
New Wool Dress Skirts for Fall wear. Poptins, Serges, Shephard Checks and Plaids.

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Portsmouth Theatre
TONIGHT
John Craig
AND
Mary Young

In Mr. Craig's Famous Production, with special lighting effects, of
HAMLET
PRICES Orchestra 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50
Balcony 50c, 75c. Gal. 35c

CAVALRY IS PURSUING VILLA AND HIS BAND

Attacks Made on Chihuahua City on Independence Day.—Took Garrison by Surprise.—Villa's Losses Greater Than at First Supposed

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 15.—Two companies of government cavalry under General Matias Ramos and Colonel Jose Marrero today were pursuing Villa and his main band which Saturday night followed the reports made the Independence Day attack on said. Pistols and knife lists were used, as the two commands struggled through the early morning hours in the rain. When finally the artillery fire, which General Trevino directed from Santa Rosa, a fortified hill to the west and apparently were leading the forces of the city, forced the Villistas to retreat over the jagged rocks, fire, they left the streets behind them, to the feet of horses, into the canyon. Persons familiar with the country pointed out that should Villa reach one of his lairs in the district the government troops may have the greatest difficulty in finding him.

Today's reports indicated that Villa's force numbered approximately 1500 and was opposed by the garrison of about 7000. The Villa casualties, also were said to be considerably larger than was first indicated. From the number of dead and wounded picked up by the pursuing forces, it was estimated the losses probably were about 250.

Villa himself led the attack according to the dispatches, but did not enter the town, remaining across the Rio Churiles to the northwest with a few hundred of his reorganized "Gold miners." When his followers had fallen back to this point, it was asserted, he directed the retreat.

Much damage was done to the penthouse, and the munition and federal places, which the bandits succeeded in capturing before the surre

ALL TROOPS MOBILIZED TO GO TO THE BORDER

Washington, Sept. 18.—General Funston was directed by the war department today to return one national guard regiment to its home station for there. There are 18,000 guardmen each new regiment of the guard sent to still in the state camps. These will move as rapidly as the necessary arrangements can be made.

The order was issued in line with Secretary Baker's policy of sending all organizations in state mobilization that no general movement of camps to the border before they are guardmen homeward would be ordered mustered out of the federal service. The three North Carolina regiments situation had been reached by the ordered south Saturday, together with American-Mexican commission now

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Ours are the good kind—made for service—made for fit—made for looks.

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BOYS' SWEATERS, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

MEN'S SWEATERS, \$5.00 to \$10.00.

N. H. BEANE & CO.,

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22 High Street.

CLEANING UP

We're cleaning up the balance of our summer suits, at lower prices than you will be able to buy them next year, and it will pay you to look them over. Come and see the suit you can buy for \$25.00. Others at \$28.00 and \$30.00.

For Stout Men the "Support-U Belt."

WOOD THE TAILOR

meeting at New London, Conn. The department has submitted the final disposition of all the border troops, national guard and regiments to the commission.

When national guard organizations are ordered to home stations for muster-out, these members who apply may be discharged at border stations when applications are made in good faith and are approved by the commanding officer.

WAKEFIELD LADY GAINS FOURTEEN POUNDS

Owea. Wonderful Improvement to Ru-tan-erb.

Many people lose weight rapidly during the summer months, thus weakening their system—making them easy victims to the many diseases which are prevalent during the fall and early winter. Ru-tan-erb, the now heraldic, is certainly working wonders, for those who need a real health building medicine. Every day we receive signed statements from people right here in this vicinity who endorse Ru-tan-erb in the highest terms. Take the recent letter from Miss Alice M. Sliger, 13 Emerson St., Wakefield, Mass. Miss Sliger says:

"I have taken two bottles of Ru-tan-erb, and I wish to let you know just how much good it has done for me. I am sure that others might know of it as well, but I am not one of those I am sure, I have gained fourteen pounds and feel confident that I own it all to your most wonderful of medicines—Ru-tan-erb. I do not wish to say too much in regards to your Ru-tan-erb, although I cannot say enough that I sincerely hope that you will let the public know just what Ru-tan-erb has done for me."

"Now is the time to take Ru-tan-erb, to build up a weakened system and tone up your stomach and liver. Ru-tan-erb is now being featured and introduced in the people of Portsmouth. Call or write today, and you will be benefited the same as Miss Sliger."

CHRIST CHURCH NOTES.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the Senior Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew on Monday evening.

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday in this week are Ember Days, days of prayer and fasting in behalf of those about to be ordained to the office of priesthood.

Thursday will be the Feast Day of St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist. The Holy Eucharist will be celebrated at 7:30 a.m., on Wednesday,

A meeting of all the members of Christ Church Girls and Boy Scouts Troop Three, is called for Friday evening in the Boys' Room of the Parish House.

GOVERNOR McCALL HONORS BROOKLINE GIRL

One of Governor McCall's recent appointments was that of Special Commissioner conferred upon Elizabeth A. Joyce of Brookline, with offices in the Colonial Building, Boston.

Miss Joyce, who is widely known for her stenographic activities in political, social and theatrical circles, is one of the few women in the state to be invested with this power. Under the statute rulings Miss Joyce is empowered to take depositions and affidavits, administer oaths, issue summonses to witnesses, take acknowledgements of deeds or conveyances of lands, tenements and hereditaments and other instruments.

THE ROCHESTER FAIR.

The National Civic Association of New Hampshire will have a booth, with a nurse from the Peter Bent Brigham hospital, to give demonstrations at the Rochester fair, Sept. 19 to 22. Similar demonstrations have been given at prominent fairs in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Maine.

It is a splendid opportunity to see the process of making the standardized dressings and realize its value as a training in efficiency to the workers, as well as a help to those who need the product. Try and visit their booth and make it known to others.

D. & M. HEARING OCT. 18.

Boston, Sept. 18.—On petition of Francis V. Streeter on behalf of the minority stockholders of the Boston & Maine who are opposed to the proposed reorganization of that railroad system, that he be permitted to intervene in the receivership proceedings recently instituted in the United States court, Judge Morton has set Oct. 16 as a date for a hearing on the question of allowing such intervention.

Most disfiguring skin eruptions, scrofula, pleurisy, rashes, etc., are due to impure blood. Burdock, Blood Bitter is a cleansing blood tonic, is well recommended. \$1.00 at all stores.

NEW HAMPSHIRE CAN DOMINATE MILK SITUATION

So Declare Officers of New England and State Organizations.

That New Hampshire is in a position completely to dominate the New England milk situation, and to ensure for the members of the New England Milk Producers' association the price of 60 cents per quart of 1-2 quarts which they demand as the basis of continued relations with the Boston contractors, is the declaration of officers both of the New England association and of the Granite State Dairymen's association.

Monday night Richard Pattee of Laconia, secretary of the New England Milk Producers' association, pointed out that of the 10,000 carloads of milk shipped daily from various parts of New England to Boston contractors, only four carloads are bought on a six months' contract, made in advance. Under former conditions, the producers were required to sign this contract on a day specified by the contractors; a penalty of failure being an option between acceptance of a price below the market named in the contract, and refusal on the part of the contractors to buy the milk at all.

"The dilemma thus presented to the producer," said Mr. Pattee, "requires no explanation. If he rebelled against the contract or the requirement that it be signed on a given day, he found himself forced to accept a reduced price or get rid of his milk as 'beaten'."

The new contract is to go into effect Oct. 1, but under the revised system, the date for signing is set ahead 10 days. In other words, tomorrow is the day.

Now, the four six-months contract carloads of milk per day, to which reference has been made, come mainly from New Hampshire. New Hampshire milk producers, therefore, by an instance on what the officers and members of the New England Milk Producers' association hold to be a just demand in the matter of price, can dictate the terms of their contract.

"They will have to days," said Mr. Pattee, "in case of dispute with the contractors on that point; in which to find another market for their milk, before the first of October—and there is plenty of market in Boston, which we can appropriate if the contractors refuse to listen to reason. Under the open car system, the producer can obtain as favorable rates and facilities as the contractors get. This is now the law of the land."

Arrows of New Hampshire's advantageous position in the matter, Charles J. Bell, president of the Granite State Dairymen's association, has issued the following letter to the members of the association:

"The Granite State Dairymen's association is working with other agricultural organizations to build up dairying in New England, as dairying is the best way to build up our impoverished soil. But in order to maintain our present number of dairy cows, or increase them, we must have a living price for our product, which is principally milk."

"It was shown at the Interstate Commerce hearing on railroad rates that milk cost 5 cents or more per quart to produce, under favorable conditions, with good dairy cows and business management. The farmers stood together in the milk rate hearing and made a very strong case that they were not getting a living price out of their milk at present and must receive more to keep in the business. It was shown in the hearing that under the letter of the law the farmers were at the mercy of the contractors. The contractors claimed a large amount of capital invested, and that they are only making one-sixth of a cent per quart on what they handle. It seemed to me they should have explained the large amount of profit they had invested in increasing their plants when they make it appear they were only making one-sixth of a cent per quart, as contractors claim 16."

"Now brother dairymen, the first half of the battle is won in getting the open car. Now let everyone stand together and insist on 60 cents per quart at Boston and receive a living price, if not a profitable price, for your milk. You are furnishing all the capital to do business on, and the contractors sell your product and collect their pay before they pay you for it. A retail route in Boston puts out about 250 quarts a day with one horse, one driver, and about an extra man to two teams for the street work. To produce that amount of milk you keep 35 or 40 cows, three or four horses, and three to four men. You have to buy grain for the cows and horses against their buying grain for the horses. You have invested in tools, land, buildings and stock, about \$20,

000. You and your help work 12 to 14 hours a day against 10 hours a day with contractors. You probably have 15 to 20 times the capital and three times the labor, and received this 3-1-2 to 4 cents per quart, while they received for their part of the business 5 to 6-1/2 cents a quart. Are you getting your share of it?"

BASEBALL

American League, Boston, 4; Chicago, 3; New York, Cleveland—Rain. Philadelphia, 2; Detroit, 0; Washington, 1; St. Louis, 0.

National League, St. Louis, 0; Boston, 2; Cincinnati, 1; Brooklyn 4; Cincinnati, 2; Brooklyn, 1; Pittsburgh, 0; New York, 2; Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 1. (8th inning) Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 0.

PARK SQUARE THEATRE.

"Hit-the-Trail-Holiday," George M. Cohan's greatest comedy, is now in the last weeks of its engagement at the Park Square Theatre, Boston. Out-of-town playgoers anticipate the pleasure of seeing this "irresistible, laugh-provoking and American play they had better make up their minds right now. There are only a few more performances left for the Boston engagement and for this reason it would be wise to make immediate application for seats. There is no likelihood of the engagement being extended as the prearranged bookings make this impossible. The usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees are given.

The success of "Hit-the-Trail-Holiday" has been due to no sensational element. A very happy comedy, extremely gay in mood, but made gentle and beautiful by a rich vein of sentiment. This play has been acted with care and regard for its quality. That the explanation of its firm hold upon the public interest.

Fred Nibley heads the company, and his fine ability as an actor, his inability to conduct as the leader of the company and his sound intelligence, many times revealed in his appearance as a public speaker, as well as in his acting, have commanded him to the favor of the playgoing public, and have won him the abundant favor he possesses. The supporting company is a group of notable players, who maintain an earnest interest in their employment and who do all in their power to make their audiences like the play. Each deserves a separate word of encouragement and praise for the least of them, as well as the greatest, has aided materially in bringing to the comedy the rich reward of lasting success.

WAR MAKES "BILL" UNPOPULAR NAME

London, Sept.—Because the Kaiser is named Wilhelm, the English equivalent, William, is becoming less popular with fond parents, according to a registrar of birth. Many Williams, nicknamed "Bill," have been famous in British history, but this doesn't seem to count much now.

For earache, toothache, pains, burns, scalds, sore throat, try Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, a splendid remedy for emergencies.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Board of Health.



TO THE PUBLIC.

The Board of Health of Portsmouth, by resolution the following order:

Sept. 12, 1916.

"Mr. James N. Pringle, Secretary, Board of Instruction, Portsmouth, N. H."

"Dear Sir—You are hereby notified that a case of infantile paralysis exists in the City of Portsmouth. The Board of Health orders the Board of Instruction, through you, to close all the schools in Portsmouth immediately, and hold the same closed until October 2, 1916.

"Respectfully submitted,

"JOHN H. NDAT, M. D.

"FRANK M. MAHON."

"Board of Health, Portsmouth, N. H."

"The Board of Health advises all parents and guardians to keep and to hold all children under sixteen years of age on their own premises until October 2, 1916, and not permit them under any circumstances to congregate on the playgrounds or parks, in churches, theatres, moving picture houses or other public places.

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GERMANS FAIL IN DESPERATE ATTACKS TO CHECK DRIVE

Admit Loss of Berny, Deniecourt and Other Points.—Roumanians Halt their Retreat in Dobrudja Region

London, Sept. 18.—The most desperate Teutonic counter-attacks have failed to stop the onward sweep of the Anglo-French armies on both sides of the river Somme.

The German war office this afternoon admitted the loss of Berny, Deniecourt and positions between Barbus and Vermandovillers in the French drive south of the river. The capture of Deniecourt has not yet been announced from Paris, though an official statement issued at noon reported the capture of Berny and Vermandovillers.

North of the Somme the British closed in on Thiepval last night, after repulsing German attacks. Gen. Haig reported, and captured enemy positions south of the town.

Added from the allies' successes on the Somme, the word that the Russian and Roumanian forces have halted their retreat in southeastern Roumania and are now making a stand against the Teutons was the most encouraging news from the allied standpoint reaching London this afternoon. The German war office announced that the Russo-Roumanians have been reinforced and are now preparing to give battle to protect the important Constantza railway line, which guards Roumania's communications via the Black sea.

Berlin, Sept. 18 (via London).—A German attack against the Russians who are attempting to capture the Galician town of Hallez, resulted in the defeat of the Russians, who lost the greater portion of the territory gained on Saturday, the war office announced today. In addition to inflicting heavy casualties on the Russians, the Germans took 3500 prisoners and 16 machine guns.

Rome, Sept. 18.—The Italians have broken the Austrian third line in the region of Monfalcone after three days of fierce fighting.

On the whole front from Gorizia south to the sea the new Italian drive on Trieste is proceeding satisfactorily. A whole series of Austrian positions from Oppachlasella southward through Plotra Rossa has been carried and the Austrians have been driven back to trench positions in the valleys. Advanced Italian lines are now within less than 12 miles of Trieste.

Heavy rain storms have interfered with the progress of the offensive, preventing aerial observation and thus impeding the artillery attack. But, despite these obstacles, Cadorna's men drove the enemy down the eastern slopes of Hills 144, 203 and several other dominant positions holding up the Italian advance along the Valbona.

BRITISH AEROPLANES RAID GERMAN AERODROMES

London, Sept. 18.—A raid by British

NEW YORK LETTER

From Our Regular Correspondent.

(From Our Regular Correspondent) DEATH TO STRIKERS—In the light of President Wilson's frequent and enthusiastic eulogies of General Carranza, his recent declaration at New London that he was more familiar with the fundamental principles of Mexican freedom and the ideals of Carranza than most Americans, his assurances to the Mexican commissioners that he was in entire sympathy with Carranza and that "right thinking men all over the country must sympathize with such high aspirations," the latest known decree of Carranza is of especial interest.

The railroad men of certain Mexican lines have organized and threatened to strike, wherefore, Carranza issued, on August 1, a decree declaring that "the conduct of the labor syndicate (union) in the present instance constitutes without doubt an attack on the public peace" and that, therefore, "I have decreed the following: Besides the disturbers of the public peace punishable by death, as prescribed by the law of Jan. 25, 1882, the

TWO JUNIORS: A ROOSEVELT AND A HUGHES.



CHARLES E. HUGHES AND THEODORE ROOSEVELT, JR.

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., whose father sat for this photograph when they met has already been president of the at the luncheon of the Hughes College United States, and Charles E. Hughes, Jr., whose father hopes to be president in New York recently.

death penalty will also be imposed on the following: Those who may incite suspension of work in factories or enterprises dedicated to public service, or who may promulgate the suspension of work; those who preside over meetings in which it is proposed, discussed or approved; those who may defend or sustain same; those who may approve or subscribe same; those who assist at those meetings and do not withdraw from same upon learning their object; and those who may endeavor to make it (a strike) effective upon it being declared." The decree goes on at length, bringing within its scope all who may have any relation whatever to a strike or proposed strike in any enterprise in which the government is directly or indirectly interested. The penalty, under the decree of Jan. 25, 1882, is death, by sentence of a drum-head court-martial, without trial by court or jury, that decree having been proclaimed by Benito Juarez during the Mexican revolution against Maximilian. In a special message which President Wilson sent to Congress it was shown that Carranza had set aside the constitution and all state laws. There are no courts in operation in Mexico, because in the same decree authorizing such courts, Carranza suspended their authority subject to his further decree. And now, since Carranza has literally adopted the policy of death to strikers and members of labor unions, President Wilson proclaims his sympathy with and support of Carranza and insists that "right thinking men, the world over, must sympathize with such high aspirations."

THE MEXICAN CONFERENCE.—That the Mexican conference at New London is devoted chiefly to marking time is becoming daily more evident. Saturday, Sept. 6, being the Mexican Independence Day, the entire conference took a holiday. It is evident, however, that President Wilson purposed to have proclaimed on the eve of the election some form of "agreement" which can be utilized to support the contention that he has settled the Mexican situation by peaceful methods—methods, by the way, which have cost the lives of more Americans than did the entire Spanish war, and which doubtless will entail fully as large a pension list. The American commissioners state that, since the withdrawal of American troops from Mexico has been laid aside, the time of the commissioners has been devoted to learning the social and economic conditions in Mexico, a subject on which there were numerous American army officers and diplomats who easily could have informed them, although they would have drawn a less rosy picture than the Carranza commissioners and who, therefore, were not appointed on the commission.

NICARAGUA NEXT.—The extent to which San Domingo and Hayd have felt the mailed fist of this administration, and the loss of life to the people of those countries as well as to American soldiers and marines, have been referred to in this column. Now it is Nicaragua which is to experience "the other side" of President Wilson's foreign policy. Mexico alone enjoys the privilege of having her "rights" respected and her revolutionists made pats of, even though they do murder Americans and decree "death to strike and labor unions." The cruisers Chattanooga and San Diego have been dispatched to Fonsec Bay and 1000 American marines are being held in readiness to land in Nicaragua provided there is any outbreak of popular indignation against President Diaz when the national election is held, on October 1. Many of the people are opposed to Diaz, who is expected to take well steps as may be necessary to effect his own re-election, and the Wilson administration does not intend to permit this opposition to take the form

RETURN TO WORK IN LAWRENCE

Lawrence, Sept. 18.—Two hundred employees of the Champion-International Company, paper manufacturers, who struck last week for a reduction in the hours of labor, returned to work today. It was stated that a new schedule satisfactory to both sides had been adopted.

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Seattle, Wash., Sept. 17.—Pastor Russell preached a masterly sermon today before the I. B. S. A. Convention assembled here. His text was, "Come, now, and let us reason together, saith Jehovah: though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool"—Isaiah 1:18.

The Pastor averred that nearly all of the doctrinal teachings given to mankind in the name of the Lord must be swallowed, without justification, or not at all; for they are too unreasonable to be received by any logical mind. On the contrary, God's Word appeals to man's reason, and every feature of the Divine Plan, when understood, is thoroughly reasonable and worthy of our great Creator. When God invited His people to reason with Him, He meant that we are to search the Bible to find therein the explanation of man's present condition; to find God's purposes concerning man, and to exercise our minds in regard to these.

The speaker reminded his hearers that while the lower animals can reason to a very limited degree, yet man alone of all the animal creation has the ability to reason upon a high plane. He alone possesses moral faculties, and can reason with his Creator, through that Creator's revealed Word. It is only reasonable to expect that God, having endowed man with reasoning faculties, would give us a revelation of His will and His purposes which would appeal to our reason. In man's present fallen condition, some can reason better than can others. Nevertheless, God still appeals to man's power to reason, as shown by our text.

For the past few centuries the Lord's people have been gradually emerging from the Dark Ages. For two hundred years before the Reformation they had been practically without Biblical study. Then the Bible came back into the hands of God's people, and they began to study again. But their brains were more or less confused with the errors of the creeds formulated during the centuries when they were without God's Word. We have inherited many of these errors. We were born with our reasoning faculties more or less twisted; and these twists were accentuated by our teachings at home, in the Sunday School and in the pulpit. We imbibed them in our reading. When we wished to reason, we were told, "You must not; if you do, you will become an infidel."

Reason Divinely Guided a Blessing.

The Pastor added that many who became infidels respecting the teachings held out to them found that it proved a great blessing to them in that it led them to study the Scriptures for themselves. There they learned what the real character of God is—that He is not a monstrous Devil, but a God of Love, of Reason, with a Plan for human salvation worthy of all acceptance.

Their own imperfect reasoning, perverted for centuries by false teachings, would be very unreliable as a guide, would lead them astray. But reasoning according to the instructions of God's Word clarifies the mind, and leads the earnest searcher after Truth into the light of God as it shines from the face of our Lord and Redeemer. There is a beautiful harmony in the Bible which is found nowhere else, when God's Word is "rightly divided."—2 Timothy 3:15-17; 2:15.

As long as we reason within the lines of Divine Revelation we are safe. No human being knows anything of man's origin and destiny save as he is instructed by the Lord. No matter how much any man may boast of his knowledge and wisdom, he knows nothing about those important subjects except as it is revealed from Heaven. If we go beyond the inspired Word of God or outside of it, we shall soon be adrift on an unknown sea. We must have a "Thus saith the Lord" for every item of religious truth that we receive.

All Biblical theology relates to sin—how it entered the world, how man is to get rid of it, what its effects are, how God views it, how we should view it, what means God will use to lift mankind out of their present degradation up to human perfection and everlasting life. This is the sum total of Biblical theology. God created man perfect, "a little lower than the angels." This perfect man sinned and brought death upon all his unborn posterity. Our Lord Jesus died a corresponding price for Adam and his race. Because He died, our race will live again in the resurrection.

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The Truth About Farming.

There is no end to the discussion of agriculture, and there should not be. It is the most important industry in the world and it is well that it should receive the attention it deserves.

But much of the discussion of this subject is not as intelligent as it ought to be. Many take part who are not acquainted with all of the facts. As a result claims are put forth that the farmers with their modern equipments and methods are rapidly getting rich, while at the same time being largely responsible for the high cost of living, and at the same time are heard claims that the tillers of the soil are having a hard struggle to keep soul and body together.

The fact is that neither of these claims is justified. Farming is just about what it always has been, although conditions have been greatly changed by invention. Much work that was formerly done by hand is now done by machinery, but farm management is very much the same thing that it always has been and always will be.

A writer asserts that foreigners are distancing native Americans in many cases in the field of agriculture. This is true, and the explanation is easy. It is because these hardy workers from the Old World are willing to roll up their sleeves as former generations of Americans did, to work hard and undergo some privations in developing and paying for their farms. They and their families stick right to business, working as many natives are not willing to work, and in time they become the independent owners of well stocked and productive farms.

And not all of the native farmers are lagging by any means. The majority of them are keeping up with the demands of the times. They have adopted improved facilities and methods and are reaping their fair share of the country's prosperity.

The long and short of it is that farming is neither a soft snap nor a direct road to the poorhouse. It calls for intelligence and it calls for muscle, in spite of all that has been developed in the way of farm machinery. There is work on the farm for the men, the women and the children, but under proper management they need not work harder than is good for them. The intelligent and industrious farmer, whether native-born or immigrant, has a fair field in this country and stands in no need of commiseration. The markets are better than ever before, and if prices are also higher so much the better for the farmer, who in no case is getting more than his just share of the returns.

The Herald has through the summer arranged that its employees could have a Saturday half holiday and they have, along with many others, had much additional time out of doors. The Herald has been issued at noon on Saturdays and in consequence happenings after that hour have to go over until the next issue. The Herald hopes to see Saturday half holidays during the summer for everybody and this paper will in every way encourage it. Let's get as much time out of doors during the summer as is possible. We will all be better off for our duties, whatever they may be.

It is well for the tax payers of Massachusetts that the Legislature was expeditious in the work of the special session called by the governor. The work was done in three days, and while the annual salaries of the members are supposed to pay for the work of the year, they voted themselves \$50 each and mileage at the rate of 20 cents a mile. And yet we continue to hear of the "sacrifices" men make in taking public office.

It costs money to transport troops to the Mexican border and back again, but it is the policy of the war department to give the various bodies of militia that have been mustered into the federal service a period of real training as a step in the direction of preparedness. Under these circumstances there can be little complaint of the cost, as preparedness is what the country has been calling for.

According to figures given out by the foreign trade department of the National City Bank of New York, exports of meat have trebled since the beginning of the European war, while those of beef are ten fold greater than they were. It hardly seems as if this could be possible without prices of meats being even higher than they are.

Three men were injured the other day by the explosion of a shell picked up from the ruins caused by the great munitions explosion on Black Tom Island in July. The shell was struck with a hammer and immediately spoke for itself. Workmen handling that kind of wreckage should remember that they are not testing car wheels.

The superdreadnaught Pennsylvania has established a world's record in naval gunnery, doing mighty execution the other day with its 12-inch rifles. The United States is by no means as helpless as it might be, as will be learned by any nation that undertakes to "get away with it."

For President
CHARLES E. HUGHES
of New York.

For Vice-President
CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS
of Indiana.

For Governor
HENRY W. KEYES
of Haverhill
For Congressmen
First District
CYRUS A. SULLOWAY
of Manchester
Second District
EDWARD H. WASON
of Nashua.

CURRENT OPINION

Equal Suffrage Will Be
Achieved in This Country in
Six Years.

Necessarily the women who are urging suffrage cannot be partisan in politics. I believe, and all my associates believe, that the men of both parties are able to see with equally clear vision the force of the suffrage argument and that it must come. Until women are given the privilege of voting in those states wherein that privilege, which will be accomplished by a federal amendment, I think it improper to express preference for candidates of either party.

I do believe, however, that by June of 1922 women in all the states will have the vote. It will take until then perhaps to get through congress a bill to submit an amendment to the constitution and have it ratified by the states. In 1920 both of the great parties will undoubtedly go on record in favor of the amendment, and in 1921 there will be thirty-six states holding sessions of the legislature, and all will vote on the amendment, which will give us suffrage in 1922.—By Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, President of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

A Fourteen Hour Day Law.

(From the Providence Journal)
News comes from Japan, one of our most-to-be-feared competitors in foreign markets, that a new factory law limiting the hours of labor has just gone into effect. Hitherto no legal restrictions have been placed on the hours of labor of man, woman or child in that country. There have been, however, from feudal times guilds, or associations of workers, such as that of the dock coolies, said to be one of the oldest, strongest and most compact of these associations, which without many written rules were so well organized out of the work assigned to them.

The first champion of the rights of the laboring man in Japan along the lines of Western ideas, was one Sen Katayama, who spent ten years in America and made a special study of social problems, after which, returning to Japan, he became the head of a social settlement in the heart of Tokyo and editor of the Labor World, the organ of the working classes. While the Government kept a watchful eye upon his propaganda, as all socialist ideas are carefully repressed, it appears to have been forced to take cognizance of the new movement and place a factory law among its statutes.

This law, however, makes no reform or entailing in the hours of labor established by custom. It merely stipulates that the old fourteen-hour day will continue in vogue with a ten-year period during which the law shall be in effect. As applied to the textile industries in which the majority of the workers are women and children, and in which the author of the reform movement aimed to have their hours of labor shortened, the law definitely fixes the hours during which the hands may be worked at thirteen and four hours a day.

It is estimated that there are more than three thousand children under the age of twelve working in these factories; more than forty thousand between the ages of twelve and fourteen, thirty-one thousand of which are girls, and over a hundred thousand between the ages of fourteen and sixteen, of whom一百-one thousand are girls.

It would make an interesting study to determine what eventually becomes of these young factory workers and whether they are a part of, or are eliminated from Japan's wonderful progress as a participant in the world's trade, commerce, civilization and even warfare.

Canada's Short Wheat Crop.
(From the Detroit Free Press)

Misfortunes never come singly, the old proverb says, and late estimates of the grain yield of Northwest Canada indicate that wheat shortage this year will not be limited by the international boundary. The three provinces will show a decline in production compared to that of the states south of them. If a forecast by the Winnipeg Free Press after a month of inspection is correct.

The Winnipeg paper looks for a harvest of a hundred million bushels in Saskatchewan, where the official report for 1915 gave 165,163,800 bushels as that year's total; in Manitoba the expectation is 36,000,000 bushels against 46,125,000 in 1915, and in Alberta 33,000,000 bushels against 51,355,000 bushels. Altogether the prospect is for barely half last year's crop, 171,000,000 bushels against 342,545,800 in the preceding harvest. The quality too will be unsatisfactory, the observer says.

This probable falling off in Canadian production will have a double effect; it will add to the quite serious outlook for the world's bread supply, sharply reduced by reason of unfavorable weather in most grain countries. It will also react unfavorably upon the fortunes of the Canadian Northwest itself for the new region has not yet firmly established its reputation as a safe home for settlers and is still in the experimental stage of its development. A series of poor harvests would injure its prestige materially, especially as its geographical location precludes much hope of diversity of crops and it must rely principally upon those which mature within the comparatively narrow limits of its range between spring and fall frosts. The season is short normally. The farmer runs a race against time, and if winter lingers a week or two or arrives prematurely a whole year's labor is lost. Experience alone can tell whether year in and year out, agricultural operations are to be profitable in the new lands.

Hughes or Wilson? Roosevelt's Answer.
"Against Mr. Wilson's combination of grace in execution with futility in action; against his record of words un-

backed by deeds or betrayed by deeds, we see Mr. Hughes' rugged and uncompromising straightforwardness of character and action in every office he has held. We put the man who thinks and speaks directly, and whose words have always been made good, against the man whose adroit and facile eloquence is used to conceal his plans or his want of plans. The next four years may well be years of tremendous national strain. Which of the two men do you, the American people, wish at the helm during these four years? the man who has been actually tried and found wanting, or the man whose whole career in public office is a guarantee of his power and good faith? But one answer is possible; and it must be given by the American people through the election of Charles Evans Hughes as president of the United States."—Roosevelt in Maine speech.

Queer Politics.
(From the San Francisco Chronicle)

Let our readers too quickly forget the late national Progressive party, we gladly take space to inform them that the breath has not, as alleged, entirely left its body, and in the way of protest it is trying to kick in its coffin. The party has no candidate for President, its peerless leaders, as the faithful declare, having basely deserted and left it in the lurch. It has, however, a candidate for vice-president in the person of John N. Parker, we believe, of Louisiana. In support of Mr. Parker's campaign, Matthew Hale of Boston, not chairman, but acting chairman of the national Progressive party, has appointed fifteen of the faithful, who, with the same number of the old national committee, whom political fleshpots could not seduce, will constitute the revivified and purified national Progressive committee.

The committee man for California in our own Francis J. Heney, who has been supposed to be out for Wilson and Marshall. We are surely getting in this campaign some of the queerest polities the world has yet seen.

One of Our Reproaches.

(From the Buffalo Express)

A committee of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce reported that Chinese coming to this country have not been "accorded a square deal by the immigration officials, either in San Francisco or Washington." The Chamber of Commerce thereupon sent a telegram to President Wilson asking for his assistance in effecting a remedy. "We note with particular regret," the message said, "that since last April when you favored a representative of our investigating committee with a personal interview on the subject, Secretary of Labor Wilson has demanded and succeeded in his demand for the removal of the San Francisco Chinese as our general because of his compatriots of what we believe to be arbitrary and inhumane treatment of Chinese by the local and Washington authorities, which treatment has been made worse since the complaint was made to you." The Chinese Six Companies also have protested to President Wilson against the removal of this Chinese constabulary.

Not content with mere criticism, Mr.

Ford says: "Freight cars are built of poor materials, overweight and overloaded themselves, waste power in being hauled around the country, add to the expense, tear themselves and the road to pieces early and become quick candidates for the junk heap."

Not content with mere criticism, Mr. Ford says he stands ready to build, for demonstration purposes, a lighter and stronger freight car, one that is practical and will run more economically. But why shouldn't Mr. Ford, if convinced that he can construct a more practical car, go into the business at once? There can be no doubt that, if a more practical freight car comes on the market, it will find buyers enough, and more. The railroads have shown themselves ready to take up new ideas when shown to be practical. Let Mr. Ford put his new freight cars on the market.

"Three of a Kind" Effective.

(From the New York Herald)

Tremendous improvements in target practice are indicated by the success of the superdreadnaught Pennsylvania in her latest trial. Five hits out of a volley from twelve 14-inch guns were landed on a small target distant eleven miles and invisible to the gunners in the turrets. The Pennsylvania is the first of the new battle ships carrying triple mounted guns in four turrets to be tried out, and if the report be substantiated adverse criticism to this system of mounting will be silenced.

It is generally known that the long-distance practice of the Atlantic fleet during the winter was particularly sat-

isfactory, but this latest declared efficiency must be a surprise even to the fleet. So far it has been held that from 10 to 20 per cent of the shots could be landed on a battleship at eight thousand yards, and even in this a note of optimism was detected, but with the Pennsylvania this expectancy is sur-

passed, as the reported hits constitute a record of more than 40 per cent at a distance of twenty-two thousand yards. Nothing equaling this has been attained during the present war, even in the several actions at long range that have been described.

PEOPLES' OPINIONS.

Say Church in Wrong Place.

Editor—In an article signed S. W. C. and printed in the Herald of Monday, the writer calls for some relief against the pigeons around the North Church and suggests that those in authority take action. I wish to add a word to the writer and say that the pigeons are not the only thing that should be called to the attention of the people of the church. The conditions in the front of the edifice have been bad for many years, mostly from the fact that the church is in the wrong location. I can see no relief unless this property is sold and either a municipal building or a business block erected on the site. This parish could easily find and purchase the necessary property in another section of the city more appropriate for a house of worship. The revenue from such a sale would no

doubt erect a new building for the parish. Why not consider this matter and get rid of one, but several nuisances which have existed around this building for many years. H. M. G. Portsmouth, Sept. 19.

NAVY YARD NOTES

Navy Orders.

Cmdrs. M. G. Cook, naval station,

Dec. 25, to temporary duty re-

ceiving ship at San Francisco; H. P.

Ferrill; New Jersey, to command the

Yankee; E. P. Syrus, Newport

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pany, Oct. 13, to the Maine as execu-

tive officer; Lt. G. K. Davis, the

Prometheus, to the Alabama; H. W.

Bradley, Jr., from command the Hull,

to the San Diego as gunnery officer;

C. P. Pegram, the San Diego, to com-

mand the Hull; O. Bartlett, Wash-

ington yard, to Guam station, via

December transport; B. Barnette,

branch hydrographic office, New

York, to the New Jersey; J. W. Cum-

ings, Mare Island, to the Prometheus as

executing officer and naviga-

tor; Jr. Lt. J. H. Everard, Newport

training station, R. L., to command

the Ammen; A. G. Olsen, St. Louis,

Mo., recruiting station, to the Annapolis

as executive officer and naviga-

tor; J. A. Trevor to Mare Island

yard; J. G. Stevens, Buffalo, N. Y.,

recruiting station, Oct. 19, to the Ves-

per, Atlantic transport; Ensign A. E. Fraser, naval

academy, to the Oklahoma, Oct. 23;

Assistant Paymaster C. Reed, the

Marietta to the Mahan; Chief Mat-

chinists C. A. Howe, Fore River Ship-

building Works, Quincy, Mass., to the

Virginia; F. R. King, to the Wyoming;

A. A. Gathenham, Boston yard,

to the Kearsarge; H. E. Fish, the

Kearsarge to Fore River Works, Quin-

cy, Mass.; C. Johnson, the Utah, to

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REGIMENT MAY RETURN SOON

N. H. Soldiers Looking for a Move From the Border.

It is now the general belief at Camp New Hampshire at Laredo, Tex., that within three weeks orders will be received ordering the regiment back to Camp Spaulding.

There is nothing official to substantiate this belief, but there are many things to give it support. The recent thoroughgoing inspection by Major Settle of the regulars is one of the matters commonly accepted as bearing upon an early return to New Hampshire.

Another is general order calling for transportation figures. This call has been unanswered, and the statistics have been sent in, as directed. Incidentally, the demand for them has greatly strengthened the theory of an early start north.

Camp inspections are the feature of the program for the coming week, so far as New Hampshire is concerned. A message from Laredo reads:

A telegram received at Fort Sam Houston and forwarded to this district and to the various commands might be construed to indicate that our departure is at hand. It says that when national guard organizations are ordered from the border to home stations, all enlisted men who desire to do so will be authorized to take their discharges from the national guard and to enlist in the regular army.

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Judge John Young of Exeter held a special session of court in this city on Monday for the purpose of hearing applications for naturalization. A number of persons desirous of becoming American citizens were heard at this session.

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PERSONAL PICKUPS

E. L. Miller of Salem was here on Tuesday.

James A. Borthwick and wife motored to Boston on Tuesday.

A. T. Ray and wife of Augusta, Me., were visitors here on Monday.

J. H. Trusk of Boston was a visitor here over Monday night.

Louis Dreher has returned to his studies at New Hampshire college.

Mr. Balley Van Ness Emery returned from a trip to Hanover on Monday.

J. H. Temple and wife of Lewiston, Me., were visitors here on Monday.

Mr. John Hassett entered the Plymouth Business School this morning.

Gordon B. Ladd of Boston was here on Monday to attend the Elks' outing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Keenan of Arlington, Mass., were visitors here on Tuesday.

Fred Gibson left on Monday for Lewiston, Me., to resume his studies at Colby.

Monday Charles W. Andrews quietly observed another anniversary of his birth.

John E. Redmond of Manchester was here on Monday to attend the Elks' outing.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Runals of this city have been passing several days in Concord.

Miss Agnes Swenson of Cable road, Rye, has accepted a position in the First National Bank.

Miss Frances McCarthy of Union street left today for Springfield, Mo., to enter Nason Institute.

Mrs. Albert H. Sides remains ill at her home on Lincoln avenue, with a trained nurse in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cole and son, Mr. M. C. Cole of Bridgeport, Conn., were visitors here on Monday.

Herbert Griffin of Franklin, formerly clerk at the Kearsarge, was here on Monday to attend the Elks' outing.

Joe Burns, Edward Barryington and Edward Ressler of Taunton, Mass., attended the Elks' anniversary.

The many friends of William Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Parsons, are pleased to see him out again after his long illness and hope that he will continue to regain strength.

J. A. Akerman, a former Portsmouth boy, and now of Salem, Mass., was here on Monday for the Elks' outing. He has made good in the railroad line and is now a freight conductor on the Boston & Maine rail-

road, running between Salem and Greenfield, Mass.

Andrew Brennan of Dover was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Brillo, U. S. N., are at The Rockingham.

J. H. Temple and wife of Lewiston, Me., were visitors here on Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Snow has entered New Hampshire State college at Durham.

Gen. Frank S. Streeter of Concord, N. H., was here on legal business on Tuesday.

Clarence Scammon left on Monday for Monson Academy, Monson, Mass., where he will prepare for college.

Mr. E. H. Beers of St. Louis, who has been passing several weeks in this city, left on Tuesday for New York.

Dr. Seth Jones of Franklin, collector of Internal Revenue for this district, is passing a few days in this city.

Mrs. L. W. Colby, Mrs. Bryant and Mrs. E. C. Haskell of Manchester, passed the day here, making the trip by auto.

James Rowe of Brentwood was here on Monday to attend the anniversary and outing of Portsmouth Lodge, B. P. O. E.

Fred Folsom of the clerical force of the Frank Jones Brewing Company, has resumed his duties after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Webster and Miss Marie Webster of Southbridge, Mass., are passing a few days in this city and vicinity.

John E. Kennedy of Dover, familiarly known as "Neighbor," was here on Monday to attend the outing of Portsmouth Lodge of Elks.

Harold B. Wendell, Donald Finlayson and Philip Cullyn left on Tuesday morning for Hanover to resume their studies at Dartmouth.

Col. and Mrs. George H. Dana are at The Islington for the winter, after passing the summer at the Champsionship at Kittery Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Trafton and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Woodman and young son of Kittery motored to Hampton Beach and Exeter on Sunday.

Chester Drew of Dover, for many years bandmaster of the Somersworth Cornell band, was here on Monday and was warmly greeted by old time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Robbins, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. James Pringle of Highland street, returned to their home in Boston on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Kiryan of Islington has returned from a two weeks' visit in Lynn, Mass., and on Monday resumed her duties at the "G. B." French store.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry I. Durgin of South Eliot have returned from Wildwood, N. J., where the former attended the Great Council of the L. O. M. of the United States.

Will N. Ridge and wife and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sugden have returned from a two weeks' automobile camping trip which they spent at Sebago Lake, Maine, and the White Mountains.

Some one started a story that M. H. Bell, commander of Storer Post, No. 1, G. A. R., was seriously ill. There is no truth in the story. Comrade Bell is as lively and energetic as ever and is in a loss to know how the story started.

The condition of Richard P. McDonough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. McDonough of State street, who was operated upon for appendicitis on Sunday night at the Portsmouth hospital, was reported on Tuesday morning as favorable as could be expected.

Charles A. Towle, son of Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Towle, has been stricken with typhoid fever and is now in the hospital at Cleveland. He is expected to be removed from there to the home of his parents in this city at once. The information as to his illness was received Monday night in a telegram from Mrs. Towle.

CITY BRIEFS

The Rochester fair did not draw heavily from this city on Tuesday.

The pols are still grooming dark if you want to start a nice young riot in a quiet town, organize a "peach" society.

horses for the mayoralty race in December. SURE is right, one can hardly bear them.

Alex Hiltz's March, "Royal Purple," written for the Elks' outing four years ago, was played a number of times yesterday by the band during the outing.

PRESIDENT AND WIFE ON WAY TO SUMMER WHITE HOUSE

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Sept. 19.—The President and Mrs. Wilson passed through Washington this morning en route to Shadow Lawn from Columbia, S. C., where they attended the funeral of the President's sister. They were due to reach Westland, N. J., two miles from the summer White House, shortly after 3.

TEN DEATHS REPORTED IN NEW YORK

(Special to The Herald)
New York, Sept. 19.—Thirty-five cases of infantile paralysis and ten deaths were reported today.

KITTERY

Mr. Reginald Remle of Locke's Cove left this morning on a business trip to Melhuish, Mass.

Mrs. Myra Johnson of Portsmouth was the guest of Mrs. F. A. Noel of Newson avenue on Monday.

Miss Gladys Merriman of Portland, the new principal of the Shapleigh school is boarding at the home of Franklin Hale of North Kittery.

Mrs. Martha Boardman of Main street is visiting relatives in Salem, Mass.

Regular weeknight prayer meeting services this evening at both of the local churches.

Mrs. Estelle Meadle of New York is visiting Mrs. George L. Pearce of North Kittery.

Mrs. Asher Damon who has been restricted to her home on Government street by illness, is able to be outdoors again.

Mrs. Carroll Blaney of North Kittery today entertained Mrs. Beatrice Marhsion, Mrs. Joseph Scott, Mrs. Fred Fuller and Mrs. Florence Paul, Officer Frank Donnell of Central street was a visitor at Alfred Monday on business in connection with the September term of court.

Mrs. Charles Pratt of Colby's Lane, is visiting relatives at Proctorsville, Vt.

Miss V. May Monday of Olis avenue is passing a few days at York Village the guest of friends.

A committee meeting of the Phoenix was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Willard Locke, Locke's Cove, at which the plans for the coming winter were talked over.

Mrs. J. C. Lindberg, wife of Chief Beaufort Lindberg, of the U. S. S. Baltimore, has rented the Farwell house on Walker street and is occupying the same.

Mr. Frank Bruce is enjoying a vacation from his duties at the navy yard, and is passing the same at his home in Nottingham, N. H.

Officer Raymond Packard of Manson avenue passed Monday in Alfred on business.

Mrs. Bernice Carr of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Carr of the Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pernell of Whipple Road have returned from a trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Keen of the Junction are visiting in Boston.

The regular meeting of the Riverside Hunting Club will be held on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Fannie Remle of Locke's Cove.

Guy Amee resumed his duties in Portsmouth on Monday after enjoying a vacation.

Mrs. Charles E. Woods and son Myron of Whipple Road returned on Sunday from New York city where they have been passing a few days. The return trip was made by automobile.

In celebration of the anniversary of her birth, Miss Arvilla M. Shaw entertained a dozen of her most intimate friends at her home on Central street Monday evening. Various games were played and a social time enjoyed, at the close of which the hostess served dainty refreshments of ice cream, assorted cake, fancy crackers and candy. Miss Shaw was the recipient of many pretty birthday gifts and best wishes for many happy returns of the day.

The following are the teachers in the various schools: Shapleigh: Miss Gladys Merriman, principal; Miss Mary Durgin, primary; Donnett; Miss Ruth Wilson, principal; Wentworth; Miss Georgia M. Knight, principal; Miss Maude Moulton, Intermediate; Miss Isabelle B. Remle, 3-4; Miss Eva A. Lambert, Primary; Austin; Miss Dolson, principal; Miss Helen Chedley, Intermediate; Miss Clara A. Bray, Primary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rose of the Interneve passed today with relatives in Deerfield, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Craig returned on Sunday from their wedding trip to Niagara Falls, and have taken up their residence with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Goings of Roger Road.

The weekly rehearsal of the Second Christian church choir was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Edgar Burnham, Woodlawn avenue. Following the rehearsal a social hour was enjoyed, and refreshments of

sandwiches, fancy crackers and hot coconuts were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carmell and nephew, Master William Tate, of Plymouth, Mass., arrived Monday for a visit with Mrs. Carmell's sister, Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham of Woodlawn avenue, making the trip by auto.

At Sarge's.

Ladies' hose, 25 and 50 cts., guaranteed.

KITTERY POINT

Week night prayer services will be held in the three churches at 7:30 this evening.

Moses Blake is visiting his mother, Mrs. Annie Blake of Tenney's Hill.

W. S. Palmer of Salem, Mass., was visitor in town on business today.

Mrs. Carrie Getchell of South Berwick is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Getchell.

Work of painting the Mitchell school has been completed, the work being in charge of Bertram Moore of Kittery.

Miss Harriet Mower returned to her home in Dorchester, Mass., today after passing two weeks with Mrs. Charles Clark.

Arthur J. Pruitt is passing the week at Rangeley Lakes, enjoying camp life.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Free Baptist church will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Adah Tobe.

Miss Alice Patch has returned from a visit with relatives in Eliot and Dover.

The marriage of Thomas W. Clay and Miss Helga G. Peterson was observed on Monday morning at the parsonage of the Free Baptist church, Rev. E. W. Cummings performing the ceremony.

Rev. John H. Mugridge of Foye's Lane quietly observed the 51st anniversary of his birth at his home today. The venerable gentleman is wonderfully active for his age.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Anne, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Perley Tobe returned to their homes this week after enjoying camp life at Moore's Creek, York.

A September social will be held on Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Emery.

MET WITH ACCIDENT

Ran Into Stone Wall on Central Ave. in Dover.

WILL CONTINUE CRITICISM OF MR. WILSON

Governor Hughes Makes It Plain That There Will Be No Let-Up in This Direction.

New York, Sept. 18.—Charles Evans Hughes left this city today to conduct a twelve days' tour of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Wisconsin, New York and New Jersey, several of which are battle-ground states that Republicans and Democrats are most anxious to carry in November. Refreshed by a three days' rest at his summer home at Bridgehampton, Mr. Hughes began his second "swing around the circle" prepared to deliver speeches as convincing as those that resulted in the Republican victory in Maine a week ago.

Two of the addresses that Mr. Hughes will deliver before returning to New York on Oct. 1 are awaited with exceptional interest. The first is that at Peoria tomorrow when he will appear before the Illinois state convention. The other will be made at the New York state convention at Saratoga, Sept. 25. The speeches are expected to rank as the best he will deliver during the entire campaign.

The published reports to the effect that Governor Hughes will be less harsh in his future criticism of the

Administration are wholly without foundation. As the nominee started today on his second swing around the circle it was made plain that there would be no let-up to the attacks on the Wilson policies. There was intimation, indeed, that Mr. Hughes might use even more vigorous words in expressing his opinion of the President's course in Mexico and of his handling of the railroad controversy. During this trip, which will last until Oct. 1 and carry him into some of the doubtful states of the Middle West, the nominee will again be accompanied by Mrs. Hughes. He will not return to Bridgehampton this season, but he will be able to have a few days' rest early next month in New York city.

NAVAL CONSULTING BOARD TO HOLD FIRST MEETING

Washington, Sept. 18.—The naval consulting board of which Thomas A. Edison is chairman will hold its first meeting as an organization of officials standing with Sec. of the Navy Daniels Tuesday, the Navy department announced today. The board will be organized as a permanent part of the Navy department. Its first official work will be to select a site for the \$1,500,000 naval laboratory authorized in the new navy appropriations bill.

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ELKS OUTING IS BROUGHT TO A FITTING CLOSE

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lives. The sports were run off in fast time, and the interest in each was high as the finishes were close.

In the baseball game the married men carried off the honors, winning the game in the last of the third, 3 to 1. Both teams scored in the first inning on hits and until the last of the third it looked as though neither team would be able to bring in the much-needed run for a victory.

Ira Newick and Charlie Lear pitched good ball for their teams and were given fine support throughout the game, no errors being charged against any of the players. The game is an annual event and the presentation of the brooms to the nice members of the winning team was ample reward for them. The game was called at the end of the third inning on account of darkness. The summary:

BENEDICTS.

	ab	r	h	bb	po	a	6
Follansbee, as	2	1	1	0	0	0	
McGinley, if	2	2	2	1	0	0	
Ira Newick, p.	1	1	0	0	1	0	
Craven, 3b	2	0	2	1	0	0	
Sarette, 1b	1	0	2	2	0	0	
Frank Newick, c	0	0	4	0	0	0	
Hans, 2b	1	0	0	0	2	0	
Costello, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	11	3	5	*8	4	0	

BACHELORS.

	ab	r	h	bb	po	a	6
Brackett, c	2	1	1	3	1	0	
Lear, p.	2	0	1	0	0	0	
Davis, 3b	2	0	1	1	0	0	
Leary, 1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Fogarty, 2b	1	0	0	0	1	0	
Clough, lf	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Long, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Hawkes, cf	1	0	1	0	1	0	
Jones, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	12	1	4	3	3	0	

INNINGS.

	ab	r	h	bb	po	a	6
Brackett, c	1	2	3	1	0	0	
Hawkes, cf	1	0	2	2	3	0	
Sarette, 1b	1	0	2	2	3	0	
Two-base hits, Brackett, Hawkes, Stolen bases, Follansbee, McGinley, Ira Newick, Lear, Davis. First base on balls, off Newick, off Lear, 2. Struck out, by Newick 6, by Lear 6. Wild pitch, Lear. Time, 35m. Umpire, McCarthy.	1	0	1	0	0	0	
Fogarty out on a bunted third foul strike.	1	0	0	0	0	0	

Sports Summary.

Tag-of-war between teams from Portsmouth and Dover lodges, won by Portsmouth, the team including Frank McGinley, anchor; Ira Newick, Henry Craven, Jack Long and Sam Follansbee. Two-base hits, Brackett, Hawkes, Stolen bases, Follansbee, McGinley, Ira Newick, Lear, Davis. First base on balls, off Newick, off Lear, 2. Struck out, by Newick 6, by Lear 6. Wild pitch, Lear. Time, 35m. Umpire, McCarthy.

Fogarty out on a bunted third foul strike.

Obstacle race won by George Clough; Reginald Jones, second.

Chariot race won by Frank and Ira Newick; Charles Brackett and Reginald Jones, second.

Three-legged race won by Samuel Follansbee and George Shannon; Ralph McCarthy and Bartholomew Flynn, second.

100-yard dash, won by Dave Sarette; Sam Follansbee, second.

The officials were George H. Duckor, starter; Bernard McGraw, William L. Conlon and James A. McCarthy, judges.

Parade on Return.

After the sports the return to the city was made, thezug leaving Cable road shortly after 8 o'clock. The parade was formed at the corner of Lincoln avenue and Middle street, headed by the winning baseball team and the other prize winners of the sporting events, and thezug marched to the home, via Congress and Pleasant streets, the marching members carrying torches of red fire.

A large crowd lined the streets to view the return parade and hear the band concert scheduled to take place

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on the square at 8 o'clock. This featu-

re was postponed owing to the sud-

den rain which commenced shortly be-

fore 8 o'clock.

At the home a buffet luncheon was served and the vaudeville program was one of the most elaborate ever presented to a private audience, the program including among the artists, Harry Budrow and O. L. Story; Dick Barry, formerly with Ward & Vokes, Frank Genette, John Mitchell, Jim Bogland, and others. The program required two hours to complete and at

the home a conclusion talent for further enter-

tainment was found from among the

members of the fudge and the visiting

Elks.

Exalted Ruler James W. Barrett, was

chairman of the committee of arrangements, assisted by Michael A. Barrett, John C. McDonough, Vincent M. Mattison, William J. Kennedy, Charles H. Amhoff, Bernard J. McGraw, Louis Soule, Arthur W. Horton, William J. Murphy and Henry O. Batten.

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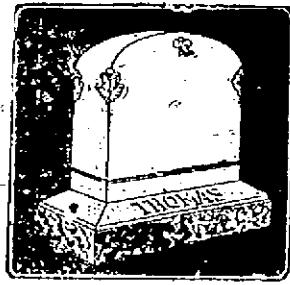
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OLD MEMBERS ARE HARD HIT BY INCREASE

Royal Arcanum to Raise Rates Again in December—Litigation Is Expected.

The Royal Arcanum, numbering 300,000 in the United States, has made another big increase in rates, to take effect in December. The new schedule more than trebling rates in the case of some of the older members, was forecast at a meeting of the Supreme Council in Atlantic City last May and was definitely decided upon on September 6. As yet, members have not been notified officially.

It is likely that the new rates, which bear most heavily on the older members, being almost prohibitive in the case of all over 60 years of age, will be the subject of bitter litigation, as was the case when rates were boosted ten years ago, but the heads of the fraternal order take comfort in the fact that the United States Supreme Court ruled in their favor then, and may be expected to do so again. The need for the increased rate has been recommended by actuaries after careful study.

H. W. Jones, grand regent of the order in the state, denied that any dues were expected, but said the order was prepared to meet them if they came. He admitted that the new rates work "some hardships" on the older members, but held that the rate they get is "without reason" and that the whole has been adjusted so as to work the least hardship upon the greatest number. This change, he said, follows the adoption of uniform insurance laws by 37 states and is calculated to put the order on a "100 per cent actuarial basis."

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"During my long membership," he said, "I have already paid in more than I will gain as a benefit. I am no millionaire and certainly cannot afford the new increase."

VAST TORNADO OF FIRE APPALS BRITISH OFFICER

London, Sept. 16.—A British officer writing home from France says:

"We live in exciting times now, and all that I experienced before is as nothing compared with this. It is quite impossible for you at home to get any conception of what is meant by the newspaper phrase 'Terrific bombardment along the whole front.' The effect both to the ear and eye is such that the man is not born who could commit to paper an adequate description of it.

"If you try to imagine all the most terrific thunder that ever rent the air and try to concentrate it into one place and one period of an hour or so, you do not even then begin to get an idea of the noise which begins to shake both Heaven and Earth, while a mental picture of all the most vivid lightning you have ever seen, coupled with Brock's most magnificent display of fireworks, will not tell you the half of the effect of the 'strafes' to the eye.

"The other night I was on duty at a certain point while a final half hour's concentrated bombardment raged, and I realized as I have never done before what modern warfare means.

"In front of me were field guns which cast forth their projectiles in one continuous stream, while from behind and at each side of me came the death-dealing shells from our big guns.

"The noise was stupendous, the crack and the boom of the guns in front and the terrible reports from the guns behind, coupled with the shriek of the shells as they passed over our heads, made one great pandemonium of noise, and in the superlative degree at that.

"The sight of it all was just as gigantic as the noise; the whole front was a blaze of light. The bursting of our own shells and those which the Germans were putting over, together with the glut of star-shells which both sides were sending up, made up a sight which will, to me at any rate, make the most magnificent display of fireworks at the Crystal palace seem as tame as a night-light. And the feature of a bombardment like this is the war in which the country in front is revealed in a light as bright as the midday sun. You stand in darkness yourself, and in front you see miles of country like a huge and eerie panorama."

AMERICAN BEER POPULAR
IN FAR OFF JAVA

Chicago, Sept. 16.—"War babies" consist not alone of munitions, provisions, automobiles, rubber, nickel and the many other things that enable men to kill each other. War babies also include—perish the thought—American beer! No? Well, lend an ear to Leo Hymans of the firm of Hymans Bros., Ltd., of Samurang, Dutch East Indies, who is in Chicago on business.

"Java," said Mr. Hymans, "wants a lot of your American products, and there is one thing we want badly—American beer. Before the war we used to import German beer in great quantities, but since we cannot get it any more we have taken to American beer. And right now in Samurang all you can hear is 'Give me an American beer!'

"To be sure, we use all kinds of American manufactured goods. Your automobiles are excellent and popular, but the most popular of all American goods in Java is American beer."

The farmers may demand all the warm weather that they can, but the weatherman is promising a nice young frost for tonight.

One way to relieve habitual constipation is to take regularly a mild laxative. Dr. Doan's Neglects are recommended for this purpose. See a box at all drug stores.

CLAIMS TORPEDO SINKS BOAT WITH AMERICANS

Richmond Man Says 28 U. S. Citizens Were on British Steamer Kelvinia.

New York, Sept. 18.—A torpedo sank the British steamer Kelvinia, carrying 28 Americans according to G. W. Dillard of Richmond, Va., one of the Americans, who arrived here today on the Cunard liner Tuscania.

Dispatches from England created doubt as to whether the Kelvinia, bound from Newport News, Va., to Glasgow, was torpedoed or sunk by a mine on Sept. 2.

Agents of the department of state met the Tuscania upon her arrival here and took the depositions of the Americans.

According to Dillard, the Kelvinia was torpedoed at 2 o'clock in the morning without any warning having been given. The vessel listed immediately and as there were not enough boats for both the crew and the Americans who were engaged as hostlers for the cargo of horses, many of the Americans put on life belts and jumped overboard. They were rescued by a trawler after floating about for 14 hours.

Dillard said that at the time the Kelvinia met with the mishap he saw, nearby, a small light which later seemed to disappear under the waves. This he declared confirmed his belief that there had been a submarine attack.

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PRETTY WEDDING AT SEASHORE

Athorne-Hodgdon Nuptials at Long Beach This Afternoon.

One of the prettiest home weddings that has taken place for some time at York Beach occurred this afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Miss Dorothy Alice Hodgdon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fernald Hodgdon of South Berwick, was united in marriage to George Oliver Athorne, Jr., of Elliot. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Paris E. Miller, pastor of the Congregational church at South Berwick, at the summer home of the bride's parents, Long Beach, and was witnessed by a large number of relatives from the home towns of the contracting parties and other places.

The bride wore a charming gown of white satin with georgette crepe. Miss Helen F. Denne of Fall River, Mass., was maid of honor and wore yellow taffeta silk, and yellow picture hat. The bridesmaids were Miss Barbara M. Abbott of North Reading, Mass., Miss Romeo M. Straub, York Village, Miss Marion B. Pike, South Berwick, Miss Elizabeth Goodwin, South Berwick.

Miss Abbott and Miss Straub were gowned in silk green taffeta with voile, Miss Pike and Miss Goodwin wore pink taffeta with voile. The hats were white velvet with silk facings to match the gowns.

Miss Marjorie Hodden, sister of the bride, was the flower girl and her dress was a pretty creation of white net over pink silk.

Guy W. Athorne of Lacanta, brother of the groom, acted as best man. The home bore artistic decorations of cut flowers, goldend and evergreen. Following the ceremony a reception was held and an excellent repast was served consisting of lobster and chicken salad, olives, rolls, celery, assorted cake, ice cream and coffee. During the reception the parents of the bride and groom assisted in receiving.

The wedding gifts were decidedly numerous and very beautiful, which certainly attested the esteem in which the young couple is held. In the exchange of gifts the groom gave the bride an amethyst pearl brooch and the gift from the bride to the groom was a gold watch chain. The bride's brooch received gold bracelets from the bride and the best man was given a stickpin by the groom.

They left later in the afternoon for a short honeymoon keeping their destination to themselves and on their return will reside in South Berwick. The bride's going-away gown was of navy blue.

Among the out of town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Weeley, Brighton, Mass.; Dr. E. L. Coffin, Northboro, Mass.; J. Shattu Newton, New York; Miss Lucy Conant, Revere, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. John Flint, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bryant, Salem, Mass.; Miss Lena Morse, Portland, Me.; Miss Esther M. Gould, Danvers, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Evert Wronn, Chicago, Ill.; Goodrich S. Chauffeur and Miss Muriel of Paris, France; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ridley, Miss Ridley, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lowe, Sanford, Me.

CAPT. EVANS TAKES PART IN CONFERENCE

Threatened Strike of Masters, Mates and Pilots Is Checked.

Capt. Thomas E. Evans, former tug master at Portsmouth navy yard, was one of the representatives at the conference in Boston on Monday which headed off the threatened strike of 400 masters, mates and pilots employed by the several steamship lines in and out of Boston.

Besides Capt. Evans, who represented Volunteer Harbor, No. 4, Masters, Mates and Pilots Association, the Coastwise Transportation Company, the New England Gas and Coke Company and the Crowell Thurlow Company, and Messrs. Nalley and Brinck, of the State Brinck A. F. of L. were represented.

LEONIDAS CREW ISSUE CHALLENGE

Navy Men Will Meet Any Team at Tug-o'-War, P. B. Co. Preferred.

Capt. P. J. Corcoran of the U. S. S. Leonidas tug of war team is going to be reckoned in this line of sport and issues a challenge to any team in this city, (Portsmouth Brewing Company preferred) for a straight rope pull best two out of three. Arrangements can be made by addressing Mr. Corcoran, care of the U. S. S. Leonidas at the navy yard.

Why not do a little decorating during the two days of the visiting firemen, Sept. 27 and 28?

WANTED—At once, crand bay. Apply at 47 Market street, between 9 and 10 a.m.

Dartmouth college opens on Thursday and as usual this city will have a good sized representation.

At the George B. French's Annex Wall Paper reduced 1-3 off regular price, for this week only.

PORTSMOUTH THEATRE TO-NIGHT

Tonight at the Portsmouth Theatre John Craig and Mary Young will appear in Shakespeare's "Hamlet." It is partly the charm of "Hamlet's" personality that has made "Hamlet" the most often produced of all Shakespeare's tragedies. He has become all thing to all men, and few indeed are there who do not see in him a reflection of themselves. In his complex personality, may be found the dreamer, the philosopher, the procrastinator, the misanthrope, and the man of action. The plot is laid in so faraway time, its scenes are so remote from us, its life is so unlike our own, that we can look upon it from the outside and feel the greatness of its art without being overcome by the stress of its emotions.

Mr. Craig's production of "Hamlet" is the first one in this country to be modeled according to the new imaginative methods employed on the continent by the advanced school of theatre directors.

WILL RACE AT THE FAIR.

Oxford Boy, Jr., who won second money at Portsmouth Labor Day has been entered by his owner, Mr. F. X. Nolette, in the 2-16 trot and also the 2-19 trot at Rochester Fair this week.

OLYMPIA THEATRE Monday and Tuesday

Triangle Fine Arts presents Dorothy Gish in "THE LITTLE SCHOOLMARM"

Five reels. Charming Dorothy Gish is at her best in this play of modern life in a small town. This is one of the pictures especially favored in the October number of The Woman's Home Companion.

Paramount Pictures Famous Players presents PAULINE FREDERICK IN "THE SPIDER"

Five reels. An extraordinary play, giving Pauline Frederick an unusual opportunity for the display of her talents, as the subject presents her in two diversely opposite roles—Valerie St. Cyr, a notorious Parisian beauty and her deserted daughter, Joan.

Triangle Keystone presents MACK SWAIN IN "MADCAP AMBROSE" 2 reels.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—William Fox presents William Farnum in "The Battle of Hearts"; Paramount presents Theodore Roberts in "Pudd'nhead Wilson" by Mark Twain.

MANY ATTEND

Members of Union Rebekah Lodge Enjoy New England Boiled Dinner.

The members of Union Rebekah Lodge, to the number of 100, enjoyed a New England boiled dinner with all the fixings at Odd Fellows hall on Tuesday noon. Ample justice was done to the good things that the committee had provided for the occasion. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Annie L. Mason, chairman, Mrs. Martha A. Hill, assistant chairman, Mrs. Estelle Varrell, Mrs. Olive S. Holmes, Mrs. Carrie Adams, Mrs. Lena Morrill, Mrs. Nellie Tilton, Mrs. Sophie Trafton, Mrs. Lizzie, Jr., Anderson, Joseph H. Morrill, Walter H. Mason, J. Morrison Varrell, James McKinley.

AT THE COLONIAL

From the littlest midget, who is so small that you almost need a microscope

scope to see him, to the biggest midget who is a veritable pigmy in size, Singers Famous Midgets at the Colonial have in the one short day in which they have been in Portsmouth endeared themselves to every person who has seen them.

They take so much evident pleasure in their allotted roles, and so much pride in the admiration they invariably exude that it is a delight just to watch them.

To the person who stops to think, this company of wonderful little men and women appeals as the greatest novelty ever seen in Portsmouth.

It must have taken the genial Baron Singer, who sponsors the troupe and travels with them, years to gather such a remarkable group of midgets. Not only does their wee size appeal but every one of them is trained in some line and trained well. Several of them do about everything that can be done on a stage.

And this training goes on unceasingly. Every forenoon the little fellows go through a course of sprouts with their own special athletic trainer, who was famous acrobat and athlete in his day, and who looks like a giant beside his charges.

It is a truly marvelous show in every way and who saw them yesterday will corroborate this statement fully.

They use numbers of dogs, and one in particular a great shaggy Russian sheep hound is noticeable. This big fellow looks like a giant poodle. Two elephants are used in the course of the performance and some twenty or more ponies in the opening number and in the wild west and other numbers.

The little ladies always make a hit with their winning ways and their display of gowns is a feature that gets the feminine attention at once. The latter are as costly as those of any troupe on tour.

THIRTEEN HOODOO NUMBER FOR THE DOVER SPORTS

Once more Commodore "Bert" Towle with twelve well known citizens aboard the Josephine H. making

a party of thirteen pulled up anchor in the lower Cochee to do a little flirting with the elements yesterday morning, and once more old "Mother Supposition" took charge of the situation and as a result the members of the party were distinguished during a "hike" over the Dover Road road long ere the warm sun's rays had a chance to eliminate the evidences of the frost of last evening and those who were able to reach their welcome mattresses before 4 o'clock have not been ascertained as yet. It was another hard luck fishing party and those who experienced the "bump" against the Portsmouth bridge on the previous trip and remarked "Never Again" but who took a chance yesterday are for the most part soliciting the kindly advice of a guardian today having realized that there is something lacking where the burden of brain is stored usually.

A shortage of gasoline which forced the party to seek the landing at the Blue Shore Inn followed by a dense fog set in before more fuel could be procured were the elements which forced the members of the party face to face with that big conspicuous "13" and those they remained until the frost began to be a factor in their discomfort whereupon they started for Dover via the thoroughfare leaving Josephine H. to withstand the chilling breezes. Some of the members of the party may take another chance but it will cost somebody more than "two bits" for chloroform.—Dover Democrat.

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OBSEQUIES.

George A. Page.

The funeral of George A. Page was held from the Christian church, North Hampton, on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Lallue conducting the services. Interment was in Hampton cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Parker.

Mrs. Ellen H. Shea

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Ellen H. Shea were held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception on Monday morning at 8:30. High mass of requiem was offered by Rev. D. Alex Sullivan, P. R. Interment was in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director W. P. Miskell. The following acted as pall bearers: Timothy Donovan, Timothy Leahy, George Scott and Charles Culter.

BANKRUPTCY PETITIONS.

Voluntary petitions in bankruptcy have been filed with the clerk of the United States court as follows: William Giles of Hudson, liabilities, \$306.18 and assets, \$76; Warren Heath of Franklin, liabilities, \$743.79 and no assets; Leon O. Hardwell of Sullivan, liabilities, \$975.62, and assets, \$96.

NOTICE.

Madame Zola, the World's Famous Scientific Palmist, has opened offices at 17 Liberty St. Advice given on home business and love affairs. One trial will convince you that she is a correct palmist and all that she claims to be.

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FISH AND GAME INSPECTOR IS FOILED

Rye Fisherman Overturns Dory and Contents Including Inspector Dumped Into the Ocean.

A sensational story is related about one of the recently appointed fish and game inspectors. He visited the boatmen at Rye a few days ago, going out in a dory, and asked one of the well known fishermen there if he had any fish.

He was offered a few pollock and cod, but after drawing alongside the fisherman's boat, he caught sight of some lobsters and believing they were under size he ordered the fisherman to come ashore, but instead he grabbed the inspector and in a few minutes overturned his dory, letting the lobsters out into the sea. Other things happened and the inspector returned to Hampton. The scene enacted at Rye would have been a thriller for the "Movies."



Fall overcoat time is here. There are the logical "first line of defense" against colds on these cool evenings. We are showing them in a liberal price range, twelve to twenty-five dollars, and in a satisfying variety of patterns and colorings. Fabrics include tweeds, Scolches, the smart "nigger-heads," undressed worsteds and vicunas. All the new models for young men. The more conservative models for men of maturer years.

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